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1. No talk has been heard in East German government circles on the ministerial level or among SED leaders in important government positions concerning the possibility of a renewed blockade of West Berlin.*
2. There is a plan under serious consideration for the construction of a canal around northern Berlin, to obviate British interference with shipping on the present routes through the city. Erwin Kerber of the Office of Material Supply has stated that he can provide the necessary materials and that Willi Rumpf, State Secretary for the Coordination of the Finances, will be able to provide the funds for the project. Final approval is expected before the middle of June.**
3. An attempt will be made to seal the sector boundaries of Berlin tightly during the youth gathering in August. For this purpose police reinforcements will be brought from Saxony.

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Comment: The plan is likely to be dropped in view of the recent British-Soviet agreement on the use of the waterways in the British sector.

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